GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
LOK SABHA

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Nehru Yuva Kendra
Sawaikar Shri Advocate Narendra Keshav

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Nehru Yuva Kendra has centres in all districts of the country;
(b) if so, the details thereof;
(c) whether it is a fact that many NYK district centres are not working because of shortage of staff and funds; and
(d) if so, the details thereof and the time by which all these vacant posts of Nehru Yuva Kendra is likely to be filled?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS
(SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)
(a) & (b) There are 623 District Level Kendras of Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan (NYKS) in the country as per the State-wise and District-wise details of the Kendras given in the Annexure.
(c) & (d) The activities and programmes of NYKS are being organized by effectively utilizing the available funds. However, at present there is shortage of manpower in Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan (NYKS). For the requirement of 623 Kendras, 312 District youth Coordinators (DYCs) and 469 Assistant Clerk cum Typists (ACTs) are in position. In order to ensure that the Government programmes do not suffer, alternative arrangements have been made. In case of Kendras where full time DYCs are not available, the activities are carried on by assigning additional charge to the DYCs of other Districts. In addition, the situation is also being managed by taking officers on deputation and reemployment of retired officers on contract basis for limited period, subject to suitability. The posts against the sanctioned strength in NYKS are lying vacant for more than one year. As such these vacant posts are deemed to have been abolished as per the instructions on the subject. Necessary action has been initiated for the revival of the posts. Thereafter action shall be initiated for the filling up of the posts.
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